In the Specification

Kindly amend the Specification on page 3, line 28. Please add the following paragraph :

Fig. 7A is an exploded view of the shaft and barrel of Fig. 7.

Kindly amend the last paragraph appearing on page 8 and continuing on page 9 of the Specification as follows:

In addition, shaft 410 and barrel 420 may be correspondingly threaded as shown by respective threads 435, 436 in Figure 7A, so that the position of shaft 410 in barrel 420 may be adjusted by rotating shaft 410 relative to barrel 420. Alternatively, as illustrated, adjustable connector 400 may contain a biasing element 440 (illustrated as a coil spring disposed around the shaft 410) to urge the transducer holder away from the barrel and against the body of the patient. Optional handle 450 is provided in the illustrated embodiment for ease of adjustment of the apparatus. If the shaft and barrel are threaded, turning the handle will move the threaded shaft relative to the barrel, and allow adjustment of the position of the transducer holder relative to the patient. If a biasing element is present, the transducer can be moved by pulling the shaft against the biasing force exerted by the biasing element and locking the shaft in this retracted position (engaging optional locking pin 460 with optional locking slot 470, shown in FIG. 7) or by releasing the shaft when the transducer is appropriately positioned relative to the patient, so that the biasing element forces the transducer against the patient during treatment.